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HOCKEY.

A meeting of Southern representatives of the Hockey League was held at Innisfail on Thursday last, Mr. Jas. Mann, representing Red Deer Club at the meeting. The following schedule of games was drafted:

Red Deer at Innisfail	Dec. 10th
Innisfail at Olds	Dec. 14th
Innisfail at Red Deer	Dec. 15th
Red Deer at Olds	25th
Olds at Red Deer	26th
Red Deer at Innisfail	Jan. 1st
Innisfail at Olds	4th
Innisfail at Red Deer	14th
Red Deer at Olds	18th
Olds at Red Deer	23rd
Olds at Innisfail	28th

It was also agreed that each club should pay their travelling and hotel expenses and the home club will supply a referee satisfactory to the visiting club. The games at Innisfail will be played in the afternoon, and those at Red Deer and Olds in the evening, unless otherwise arranged.

An Innisfail jeweler donated a \$25 challenge cup to the Innisfail

club, which they have generously turned over as a trophy for the championship of the southern district; the Red Deer boys have lines out for both this and the league cup.

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Banquet to A. Scott.

A complimentary banquet was tendered Andrew Scott, late manager of the Northern Bank, by his numerous friends in Red Deer, at the Arlington, Tuesday evening last on the eve of his departure to take charge of Edmonton branch of the Northern Bank.

Mine host, Tom Ellis, laid himself out to furnish a spread that would be remembered for many a day and was probably never surpassed in Red Deer. An orchestra composed of Messrs. McQueen, Galloway and Morris furnished choice music during the banquet.

The following gentlemen were present, besides the guest of the evening, Mr. Scott, who occupied the seat of honor: Jno. T. Moore, M. P. P., Chairman, Geo. F. Root, Geo. S. Wilkins, F. H. Tallman, A. S. Clancy, T. F. Ellis, A. T. Stephenson, S. Pardoe, W. Paterson, R. W. Grieve, A. E. Short, F. E. Wilkins, Dr. Collinson, W. B. Gower, J. W. Broughton, W. L. Quimette, Canon Hinchliffe, Geo. Rothnie, Capt. Cottingham, J. A. Carswell, Geo. Beatty, L. C. Fulmer, W. E. Lord, A. L. Powne, J. Carlyle, Moore, F. W. Dalbraith, G. W. Greene, R. L. Gaetz, J. W. Robinson, R. C. Brumpton, R. A. Jacobson, Percy Cottingham, W. B. Finlay, C. B. Crawford, J. G. Harkness, W. A. Cassels, W. H. Biggs.

After the inner man had been fully satisfied Mr. Root took the floor and in a brief, but witty and humorous speech full of the warmest praise for the guest of the evening, presented him on behalf of his friends, with a gold chain and Masonic emblems of a square and compass.

Mr. Cassels then took the floor and presented Mrs. Scott with a beautiful silver tea service of three pieces and silver, and asked that Mr. Scott convey to his wife the best wishes of her many friends in Red Deer, together with this slight token of esteem for her, on her departure from Red Deer.

Mr. Scott in replying thanked his friends and stated, that he had always tried to act on the square, and whenever he saw that beautiful tea service he would think of his friends in Red Deer with the most kindly feeling.

The chairman made a splendid speech eulogizing the guest of the evening for his good traits of heart and hand and felt sure he would make a decided mark in his new field of labor.

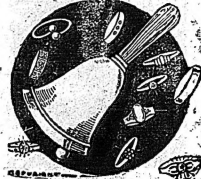
Mr. Scott made a brief reply after which short addresses were given by Messrs. Stephenson, R. L. Gaetz, Quimette, Powne, Geo. Wilkins, Pardoe, F. E. Wilkins, Short, Canon Hinchliffe, Carswell, Galbraith, and the Secretary of the banquet committee, R. A. Jacobson, to whose efforts the success of the banquet was due.

Vocal selections were given by Messrs. Ellis, Cassels, Paterson, Robinson, Rothnie, Brumpton and Pardoe during the evening, and the interesting proceedings closed with Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem.

VOTE IN LIBRARY CONTEST

The following is the vote as recorded up to Friday evening last:

Red Deer Public School	1388
Presbyterian S. S.	1387
I. O. O. F.	1050
Public Library	900
Methodist S. S.	685
Baptist S. S.	510
Fire Brigade	438
St. Luke's Church S. S.	338
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On Friday evening a number of the friends of Mr. W. F. Tranter met in the sitting room of the Alberta hotel to bid him farewell on the eve of his departure to England. Mr. Tranter is making the trip with a view to inducing some of his farming friends in the old country to return with him and take up land in the Red Deer district, and has taken out with him an excellent sample of grains and grasses, abstracted grain to demonstrate what this country can produce, together with a stock of literature for distribution.

Mr. H. Radley of Pine Lake was voted to the chair, and the other gentlemen present included Dr. Sawyer, Dr. Collison, Messrs. J. H. Harkness, Geo. Beatty, R. B. Finley, F. A. Sage, B. P. Alford, H. Longson, J. Robinson and others.

Several hearty speeches were delivered and one and all wished Mr. Tranter the best of luck on his mission and a safe return to his family.

Mr. Tranter collected about \$100 from the local merchants to assist in defraying his expenses and for advertising in the English, newspapers and also took out a quantity of the Board of Trade pamphlets, which by getting into the right hands ought to do a vast amount of good.

Mr. Tranter has had 12 years experience here in the West and is thoroughly acquainted with the country and as he knows many tenant farmers in England, he should be successful in inducing some of them at least to make their home here especially as they will have the advantage of his knowledge in passing customs, etc.

Mr. Tranter left Red Deer by the noon train on Saturday and a number of his friends turned up at the depot for a last hand shake.

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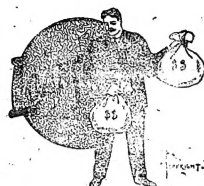
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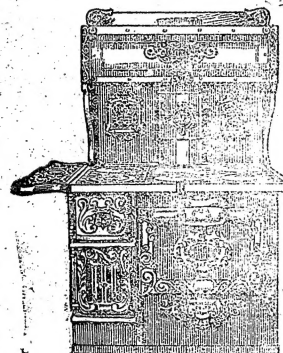
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CASE By... Emile Gaboriau

(Continued.)

CHAPTER X.

LEAVING the little station of Vésinet, we came upon a macadamized and kept in perfect repair, leads to the village, of which there are glimpses here and there through the trees. The other, newly laid out and just covered with gravel leads through the woods. At the junction of these two roads Prosper stopped the cab. The driver had gained his hundred francs. The horses were completely worn out, but before long M. Verduret could distinguish the shape of a cab similar to the one he occupied about fifty yards ahead of him. Alighting from the cab, he handed the driver a bank note.

"Here," he said, "is the promised one. Go to the first tavern you find on the right hand side of the road as you enter the village. If we are not there, you are at liberty to return to Paris."

The driver was profuse in his thanks, but neither Prosper nor his companion heard them. They had already started up the new road. The weather, which had been inclement when they set out, was now worse. The rain fell in torrents, and a furious wind howled furiously through the branches of the trees. M. Verduret and Prosper had been walking along the muddy road for about five minutes when suddenly the latter stopped.

"This is Raoul's house," he said. Before the gate of an isolated house stood the cab which they had followed. Reeling on his seat, wrapped in a thick cloak, was the driver, who, in spite of the pouring rain, was already asleep, evidently waiting for the person whom he had brought to this house.

M. Verduret went to him, pulled his cloak and said in a low voice:

"Hello, my man."

"The driver started and, mechanically gathering his reins, gazed out, 'All right.'"

But when by the light of the carriage lamps he saw two men in this lonely spot he imagined that they wanted his purse and perhaps his life.

"I am encased," he cried out as he cracked his whip in the air. "I am waiting here for some one."

"I know that, you fool," replied M. Verduret, "and only wish to ask you a question which you can gain five francs by answering. Did you not bring a middle aged lady here?"

"This question, this promise of five francs, instead of reassuring the coachman, increased his alarm."

"I have already told you I am waiting for some one," he said. "Move on or I will call for help."

M. Verduret drew back quickly.

"Come away," he whispered to Prosper. "The beast will go as he says and, the alarm once given, farewell to our projects. We must find some other entrance than by this gate."

They went along the wall surrounding the garden in search of a place where it was possible to climb.

"This was difficult to discover in the dark, the wall being twelve feet high. Fortunately, M. Verduret, who was very agile, and, having decided upon the spot to be scaled, he drew back and, making a sudden spring remarkable for so big a man, seized one of the projecting stones above him, drawing himself up by the aid of his hands and feet to the top of the wall. It was now Prosper's turn to climb up the wall, though much younger than his companion, he had not his agility, and M. Verduret was obliged to pull him up, then help him down on the other side. Once in the garden, M. Verduret took in the situation. The house occupied by M. de Lagors was built in the middle of a large garden. It was narrow, two stories high and with garrets.

Only one window, in the second story, was lighted.

"You have often been here and know the house?" said M. Verduret. "What room is that where we see the light?"

"Raoul's bedroom," he replied.

"Very good. What rooms are on the first floor?"

"The kitchen, pantry, billiard room and dining room."

"And on the floor above?"

"Two parlors, separated by folding doors, and a study."

"Where do the servants sleep?"

"Raoul has none now. He is served by a man and his wife, who come in the morning and go after dinner."

M. Verduret rubbed his hands gleefully.

"All right," he said. "There is nothing to prevent our hearing what Raoul has to say to this person who has come from Paris at 10 o'clock at night to see him. Let us go in."

But unfortunately the heavy oak door was locked. M. Verduret shook it in vain.

"What an oversight," he said, with

astonishment. "I ought to have brought my instruments with me. A common lock which could be opened with a nail, and I have not even a piece of wire!"

Recognizing the uselessness of an attempt to open the door, he tried successively every window on the ground floor. Ah! every blind was securely fastened on the inside.

M. Verduret was exasperated. He prowled around the house like a fox around a hen coop, testing all entrances. Despairingly he came back to the place in front of the house where he had the best view of the lighted window.

"If I could only look in!" he cried. "In there," pointing to the window, "is the solution of the mystery, and we are cut off from it by thirty or forty feet of these two stories. I must see, and I will see!"

Suddenly Prosper seemed to remember something.

"There is a ladder here!" he cried. "Why didn't you tell me? Where is it?"

"At the end of the garden, under the trees."

They ran to the spot, and in a few minutes the ladder was up against the house. But to their chagrin they found that there were six good feet between the top of the ladder and the lighted window.

"We cannot reach it," exclaimed Prosper.

"We must reach it!" cried M. Verduret.

He quickly placed himself a yard off from the house and, seizing the ladder, cautiously raised it, resting the bottom round on his shoulders, at the same time holding the two uprights firmly and steadily with his hands. The obstacle was overcome.

"Now mount," he said to his companion.

The situation was distressing for Prosper, but he did not hesitate. He made a sudden spring, seizing the ladder, and quickly climbed up, the ladder, which swayed and trembled beneath his weight. But his head had barely passed above the lighted window when he uttered a cry which was drowned in the roaring tempest and dropped like a log down on the wet grass, crying:

"The villain! The villain!"

With wonderful promptness and vigor M. Verduret laid the ladder on the ground and ran toward Prosper, fearing that he was dead or dangerously injured.

"What did you see? Are you hurt?" he asked.

But Prosper had already risen. Although he had a violent fall, he was unharmed.

"I saw," he answered in a hoarse voice—"I saw Madeleine—do you understand, Madeleine?—in that room alone with Raoul."

M. Verduret was confounded. Was it possible that he, the inflexible expert, had been mistaken in his deduction?

He well knew that M. de Lagors' visitor was a woman, but his own conjectures and the note which Miss Gipsy had sent him had led him to believe that this woman was Mme. Fauvel.

"You must be mistaken," he said to Prosper.

"No, monsieur; no. Never could I mistake another for Madeleine. Ah, you who heard what she said to me yesterday, answer me. Was I not exact when I said that this woman was Mme. Fauvel?"

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"This is the secret discovered by Nina," continued Prosper. "Madeleine, this pure and noble Madeleine, whom I believed to be immaculate as an angel, is alone with this thief who has stolen the name he bears, and I, trusting foul that I was made his best friend, I conducted him to all his hopes and fears, and he was her lover! Of course they ridiculed my absurd devotion and stupid confidence."

"How do we know?" said M. Verduret, "that Mlle. Madeleine is here on her own account? Did we not come to the conclusion that she was sacrificing herself for the benefit of some one?"

"That superior will which compelled her to your dismissal may have brought about this step tonight."

"Which coincides with our secret wishes is always eagerly welcomed. This supposition, apparently improbable, is the only one that remains."

"That might be the case," he said. "Who knows?"

"I would soon know," said M. Verduret. "If I could see them together in that room."

Prosper thought a moment.

"Will you promise me, monsieur, to tell me the exact truth about what you see and hear, no matter how painful it may be for me?"

"I swear it, upon my word of honor."

Then, with a struggle of which a few minutes before he would not have believed himself possessed, Prosper raised the ladder and placed the last round on his shoulder.

"Mount," he said.

M. Verduret rapidly ascended the ladder without even shaking till his head was on a level with the window. Prosper had seen but too well. There was Madeleine at this hour of the night alone with Raoul de Lagors. She wore her wraps. She was standing in the middle of the room, talking with great animation. Her attitude, her look, her gestures, betrayed indignant scorn. Raoul was seated on a chair by the fire, stirring up the coals with a pair of tongs. Every now and then he would throw his shoulders, like a man resigned to everything he heard and had no answer except, "I cannot help it."

M. Verduret would witness? gave, given the diamond ring he wore on his finger to be able to hear ten words of what was said, but the roaring wind completely drowned their voices, and he dared not place his ear too close, for fear of being seen.

"They are evidently quarrelling," he thought, "but it is not a lover's quarrel."

Madeline continued talking, and it was by closely watching the face of Raoul, clearly revealing the lamp on the mantle, that M. Verduret hoped to discover the meaning of the scene.

At times Raoul would start and tremble in spite of his apparent indifference; then he would strike at the fire with the tongs, doubtless giving vent to his rage at some reproach uttered by Madeleine. Finally Madeleine, clasping her hands, knelt before him. He turned away his head and refused to answer her in monosyllables. Several times she turned to leave, but each time returned, as if asking a favor and unable to go till she had obtained it. At last after several minutes of waiting, something opened, a door, near the fireplace, from which he took a bundle of papers handed them to her.

"It's him," thought M. Verduret. "What does it mean? Is it a compromising correspondence which she wants to read?"

Madeline took the papers, but did not appear satisfied. She again treated him to give her something else. Raoul refused and went on to her, the papers on the table. The papers seemed to puzzle M. Verduret.

"I certainly am not mistaken. Those papers—red, green and yellow—are pawnbrokers' tickets."

Madeline turned them over, as if looking for some particular one. She took three, which she put in her pocket, pushing the others aside. She was evidently preparing to take her departure. But to their chagrin they found that Raoul, who took up the lamp as if to light the way. There was nothing more for M. Verduret to see. He could only descend the ladder, muttering to himself: "Pawnbrokers' tickets! What infamous mystery lies at the bottom of all this?"

The first thing he did was to remove the ladder, then he went to Madeleine, the first taking it into his head to look around the garden, and if he did so the ladder might attract his attention. M. Verduret and Prosper hastily laid it on the ground, then concealed themselves among the trees, whence they could watch at once the front door and the outer gate.

At the same time Madeleine and Raoul appeared in the doorway. Raoul set the lamp on the bottom step and, looking at his watch, he refused to let them go with him. This did not seem to move or surprise Raoul. He simply answered by an angry gesture, which meant:

"You please."

He followed her to the gate, which he opened and closed after her; then he hurried back to the house. The Madeleine's carriage drove rapidly away.

"Now, monsieur," said Prosper, "you must tell me what you saw. Remember, you promised me the truth no matter what it might be. Speak; I can bear it."

"You will only have joy to hear, my friend. Within a month you will bitterly regret your suspicions of tonight. You will blush to think that you ever imagined Mlle. Madeleine to be untrue with a man like Raoul."

The drive back was silent and seemed interminably long. Prosper tried to draw his strange companion into conversation, but he received nothing but monosyllables in reply he held his peace for the rest of the journey. He was again beginning to feel irritated at the absolute empire exercised over him by this man.

On their arrival at the city M. Verduret was the first to speak.

"You will see me at your room about this time tomorrow night. Perhaps I shall discover what I am seeking at the Jeweller's hall."

Prosper was dumb with astonishment. What! Would M. Verduret think of appearing at a ball given by the wealthiest and most fashionable bankers at the capital? This accounted for his sending to the costumer.

"Then you are invited?" he asked.

The expression of M. Verduret danced with amusement.

"Not yet," he said, "but I shall be."

Oh, the inconsistency of the human mind! Prosper, who had been the most serious preoccupations. He looked easily around his chamber and as he thought of M. Verduret's projected pleasure at the ball, he reflected:

"Ah, how fortunate he is! Tomorrow he will have the privilege of seeing Madeleine in her costume of maid of honor."

(To be continued.)

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IS IT BECOMING?

The Test Women Should Apply to Every Article of Clothing.

"Heaven help the woman who thinks it doesn't matter what she wears; she is not only vain, but idiotic," is the cry of a contributor to the London Ladies' Field. This writer dilates on the absurdity of any woman fancying she can afford to be independent of her clothes or that men "never know what a woman has on," whatever they may say to the contrary.

"There is no doubt," she acknowledges, "that men are genuinely sincere in making the assertion that they do not believe in their own indifference to such paltry accessories to feminine charms as hats and chiffons. But every woman knows in her heart the great part clothes play in her life, and so long as men persist in falling in love only with well dressed women it is useless for them to proclaim the relative unimportance of such matters."

"A well dressed woman need not necessarily be expensively dressed—at any rate from the point of view," sagaciously continues the author, "and where women make their mistake is in assuming that they can afford to wear clothes that are merely beautiful or merely smart. The really vital question for every woman in reference to every hat, gown, coat or fur suit is: Is it worth the money?"

"Life, indeed, for a woman must always be more or less a question of appearance, and unless she is good or so beautiful or so intellectual that she can afford to be dowdy. The art of dressing and of making the most of her own appearance, far from being a sign of supreme feminine folly, as many people would have us believe, is in reality one of the most important arts a woman can master. The really smart woman is the one who neglects her appearance, who is too lazy or too content to take any trouble with her dress and who thinks it does not matter what she wears."

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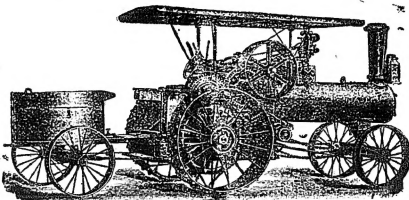
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 1906.

THE POLICY OF THREATS.

Liberal candidates whisper into the ears of the electors, "If you send Walsh to Edmonton the government will punish you. They won't build any more roads and bridges for you."

Let the honest electors retort upon these intimidators by telling them that if the Rutherford administration is so vindictive as to punish a constituency or so corrupt as to attempt to influence it by such threats, the sooner it is put out of existence the better for the country.

These men dare not make this argument from the public platform for in so doing they would be but proclaiming their own lack of honesty. They would be but announcing to the world at large their adherence to the principle that a man who has the courage of his convictions must be castigated for giving expression to them.—
Calgary Herald.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The date of the new session of the Dominion Parliament which met on the 22nd. of November is the earliest in the season of any since Confederation, with three exceptions. The first Parliament met for the first time on Nov. 6, 1867. The second session of the second Parliament opened on Oct. 23, 1873. The first session of the eighth Parliament was a very brief one from Aug. 19th, to Oct. 5, 1896. All other sessions have opened after the new year, except that which began December 9, 1880. The early session is of course made possible by the change in the fiscal year.

The death of Senator Vidal of Sarnia, creates a vacancy into which, rumor has it, that the ex-premier of Ontario, Mr. G. W. Ross, may be put. It was thought some time ago that senator R. W. Scott would resign and make a place for Mr. Ross; but Mr. Scott especially since the repeal of the Ministerial Pension Act, has not proved to be of the resigning kind.

SEVEN MEMBERS FOR ALBERTA.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—The figures for Saskatchewan and Alberta in the recent census will give seven members to Alberta and ten to Saskatchewan. A bill will be introduced in parliament this session to provide for increased representation.

PEARY CAN REACH POLE.

Sydney, C.B. Nov. 23.—Peary's steamer Roosevelt arrived this morning. The explorer, who came ashore immediately to meet his wife, seemed in excellent health. The steamer shows signs of her experience; she is leaking, and her ladders, deck moveables and much interior wood work are gone having been used as fuel to keep the party warm.

Peary believes that the pole can be reached, and Captain Bartlett of the Roosevelt, agrees with him. Shortly after the dash for the pole at 84 degrees 54 minutes, a gale, the equal of which had never been experienced by any of the party, sprang up and lasted eight days. It broke the connection between the supplying parties and could the 125 day's supplies have been forwarded, Captain Bartlett thinks that Peary would have reached the pole and returned to the meeting point within forty days.

General News

The King Edward, a splendid new hotel in Edmonton, opened for business last Thursday.

Edmonton Journal: A few miles northeast of the Beaver Lake lives a very worthy man, a Galician named Peter Lesnac. On the 17th ult. his eldest son, a boy about fourteen years old,

led a horse to the water hole some distance from the house. It is supposed that he slipped the halter rope over his hand and shoulders and under one arm to hold the horse while he cut the ice. The animal which was a fractious brute, took fright, reared up, and struck the boy senseless with his forefoot, and then galloped off dragging the boy with him. Some time later the unfortunate lad was found by his sister lying dead beside a bluff not far from his home and the horse, completely exhausted, lying beside him.

Transfer of Alberta Hotel, Calgary.

THE PROPERTY OF NORMAN D. JACKSON.
FORMERLY OF RED DEER.

It is reported the Alberta hotel Calgary one of the favorite hotels in the west is about to change hands. The principals in the transaction refuse to give any information regarding the deal, but there seems to be no doubt that the property has been leased to C. P. Taprel, the manager of the Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, and one of the most efficient hotel managers in Canada.

It is stated on good authority that Mr. Taprel's lease extends for a period of 15 years, and that he will pay an annual rental of \$20,000 for the property. Taper is chasing the furniture, contents etc., at valuation.

Mr. Taprel has also purchased from Mr. Perley the six in the rear of the hotel, facing Ninth ave., and upon which stands the present annex. It is Mr. Taprel's intention to at once commence the erection of a large modern hotel on this property, connecting it with the present Alberta by a bridge over the lane dividing the lots.

When the Ninth ave. addition is built and the Stephen ave. addition now in course of construction is completed the Alberta will be one of the largest and best hotels west of Winnipeg.

For Sale.

80 acres of land (25 acres broken) near Burnt Lake, with good house and barn thereon. Price \$12 per acre. Adjoining 1-4 Sec. can be had at same price. H. Longson, Red Deer, Post office block.

Stray Calf.

Came to my place about 1st. of Oct., a stray steer calf, light red, no marks whatever. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.
H. DARRAGH,
Penhold

To Let.

20 Cows to let on shares, Apply A. S. Stewart, Sec., 15, T 38, R 23, 7 miles west and 1 mile south of Blackfalds, near Eggen bridge. pd-1t

Reward.

Lost last Friday afternoon, two milch cows, one of them is an Hereford, white face, horns turning in, one almost through her ear, roan color. The other is a dark roan, large horns, with a dark stripe around the body. Both being in calf. A reward will be given for information leading to recovery of these animals by the undersigned, three miles south west of Red Deer, near Waskasoo school house.
J. C. BRAZIER.

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A. M. McDONALD
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Christmas Photos

Christmas is the time for giving and receiving gifts, and it will soon be here, so you should be making up your minds as to what you are to give your friends. I should say a nice photo of yourself or family is the most appropriate gift you could give or send, as a photo brings back old memories, and your friends are more than grateful for such a remembrance, as one never tires of looking over the album with their guests and friends, and would not miss the time spent thus. Now, in sending a picture, it insures you of one in return, which will bring you a two-fold pleasure. You will do well to call at the studio in good time.

A. M. McDONALD
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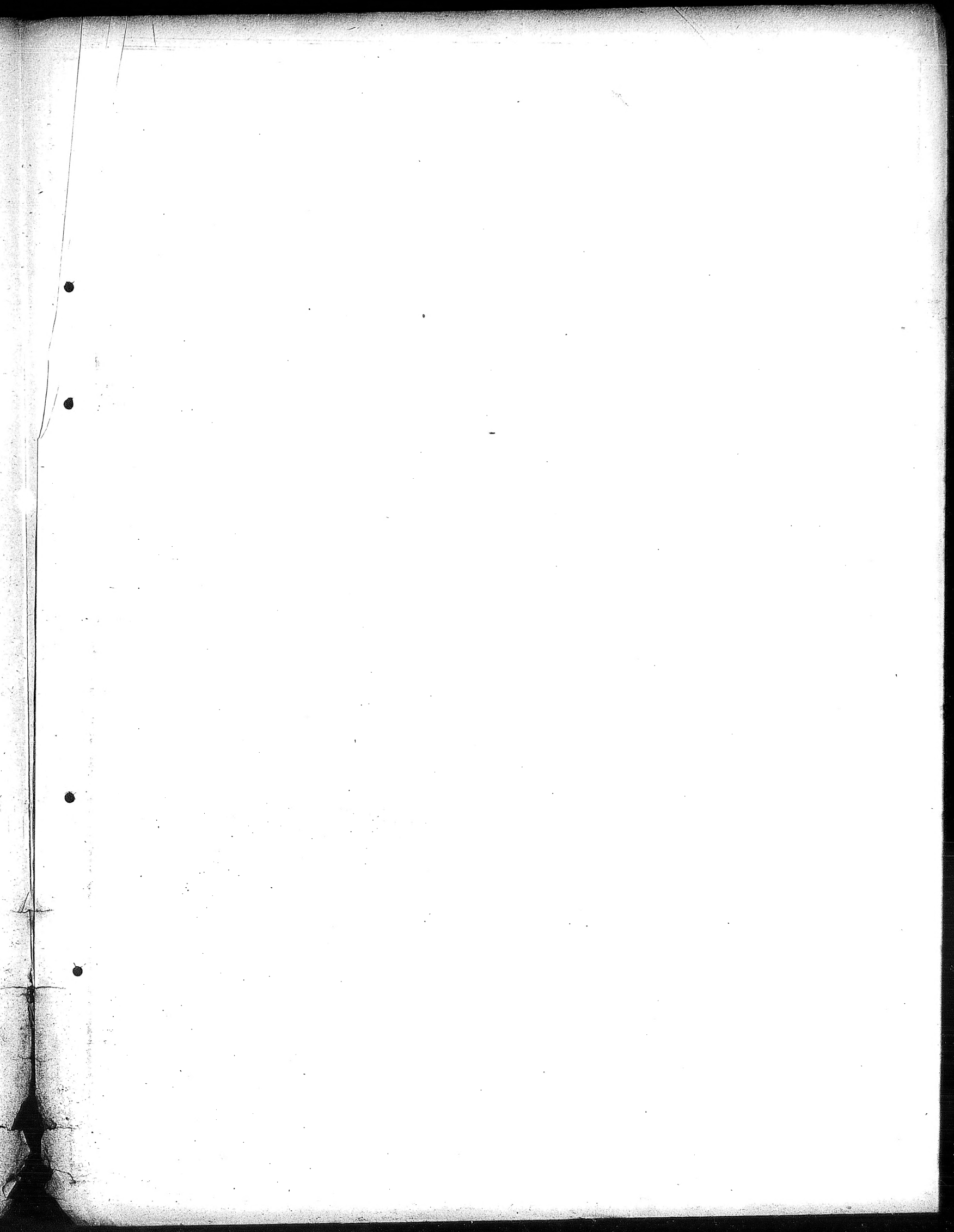
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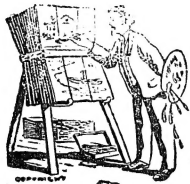
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K. M. BYERS,
MANAGER RED DEER YARD

Local and General

Christmas shoppers should read Hill & Horn's ad. this week.

Mrs. and Miss Walker of Everts were in town on Friday last.

Hockey practice commenced Friday night last.

A final meeting of the Curling Club will be held at the Albertan on Friday night at eight o'clock.

The eastern excursioners are on and many people have already left town for their Christmas holidays.

T. Buckingham, of Calgary, has purchased the Royal Hotel, Innisfail, taking over the property last week.

On sale at John McVicar's bookstore, toys and dolls for Sunday school, and public school entertainments at Xmas. Christmas cards. Issued of Marriage Licenses.

The annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance, Red Deer branch, will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening Dec. 7, 8 p.m. Addresses will be delivered by Dr. Gaetz, Rev. Daniel, B. A., Rev. Farrell, B. A., and Rev. Fortane, B. A. Collection at close of meeting.

COUNCIL ELECTION. We understand that those persons who have not paid their taxes by Saturday next the 8th, inst. will be disqualified from voting, so it is important they should hurry up and pay this week or they lose their vote they will only have themselves to blame.

Mrs. Geo. W. Greene, who left for the bedside of her sick father at Ottawa, a week ago Sunday, did not arrive in time, Mr. Greene receiving a telegram announcing his death on Thursday last. Mrs. Greene would be in Toronto on that date. The many friends of Mrs. Greene extend to her their sympathy in her bereavement.

Latimer & Botterill have received word to raise the price of wagons \$5.00. The manufacturers claim they are compelled to make this raise as timber suitable for wagons has raised in accordance with lumber at the present time nearly all the timber for making wagons and sleighs is shipped in from Tennessee, U. S. A. Then the labor question is a great factor in this present raise.

W. J. Botterill, buyer for the Breakman & Ker Elevator has received word to reduce prices 2 cents per bushel on all grades of wheat.

The other day we dropped into the store of the Dominion Meat Company on Gaetz Avenue and found them up to the eyes in business. It chanced to be one of the days upon which they ship dressed fowls to their head store in Calgary and the shipment we saw comprised 500 dressed birds representing 2,000 lbs in weight. During the past three months the Red Deer branch have shipped 3,700 birds and say they could ship as many more, if they could obtain them. Here is a great opportunity for poultry breeders, who can fatten and dispose of their birds on the spot and in addition to being sure of a market, be sure of their money. Mr. G. W. Ball is Manager, and Mr. J. H. Sewell, Assistant and in addition the firm employ other hands for killing and dressing purposes.

If you are undecided what to buy for your Xmas gifts, look in Hill & Horn's windows.

Two young hunters of Horn Hill, Leonard and Fred Dominy, while out east deer hunting a few days ago, had the good fortune to secure two fine buck.

A dividend of ten per cent on the stock has just been paid by the Red Deer Butter & Cheese Manufacturing Association to the shareholders of that Association.

Miss F. Cottingham was presented with a beautiful gold watch by the Dominion Land Office staff, last Friday morning on severing her connection with the office.

See Stephenson & Ilsey's Art Calendar for 1907, it is a gem. It shows a Dutch stock farm on the Rhine, where in the early evening the sheep are being put up for the night.

It is the intention of the Hospital Board to ask of the several churches of the town and district that Sunday, Dec. 29th, be given as a Hospital Sunday. The ministers will be asked to make a special appeal on that day for financial assistance for this worthy institution.

On Thursday last while the carpenters were working on Mr. Bawtinheimer's new residence a scaffold gave way and three men fell - eleven feet to the earth. Two of them, Clark and Hanford escaped with a few bruises and Hanford had a broken finger, but the third man, W. C. Gaspick, was more seriously hurt and was confined to the house for a time although no bones were broken. The fall was owing to a defective scantling in the scaffolding giving way.

Curling.

The following is a list of the rinks as picked out by the skips for the present season's play:

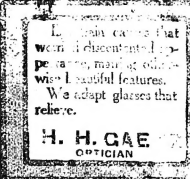
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Gazwell, skip	Gairdner
Mullin, skip	Sawyer
Beatty, skip	Campbell, skip
Hunter, skip	Fortune
Tao, Gaetz, skip	Hookins
Lord, skip	Purdy
Pidgeon, skip	Finlay, skip
Vosator, skip	Raffell
Payne, skip	Hildner
Kushnie, skip	Crawford
Drake, skip	Brumpton, skip
Molson, skip	Horn
Ch. Johnston, skip	Macdonell
Watson, skip	G. W. Green
Willson, skip	Stephenson, skip
Grier, skip	Paxton
Jacobson, skip	Wallace
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Wright, skip	
Hanna, skip	
Weight, skip	

There still remained the following members that had not been chosen on rinks as it was their special desire not to become active players for this season: W.M. Jarvis, R. L. Gaetz, J. W. Robinson, and G. H. Lavintheimer and also Mr. A. Scott, who is a member in good standing, but leaving the town for Edmonton.

For Sale.

One 2000 lb. Duffell Safe. This safe is as good as new and for a quick sale we will take \$10.00, \$10 down and the balance in 10 equal instalments without interest. This is a snap call and in-appeal.

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H. H. GAE

OPTICIAN

Public Meeting.

The Annual Public Meeting of the taxpayers was held in the Opera House Red Deer on Thursday evening last and was attended by a fairly good number of citizens. The Hall however was bitterly cold, otherwise the meeting might have been of longer duration, as it was everyone sat shivering in their overcoats and looked relieved at the close. Mayor E. Michener occupied the chair, and in a short few minutes he explained the object of the meeting and called upon Comptroller H. H. Gaetz as Chairman of the Finance Committee to read a statement of the town's financial position. The figures were pretty long and will be published in detail later. Suffice it to say, the town financially seems pretty healthy.

Upon discussion being invited Mr. Cowell great lengths again brought up the question of sewerage pipes, repeating his opinion that they were too small. He referred to a sewerage he had had with certain members of the Council and the Engineers in regard to the matter and although he was assured by them that the pipes were sufficiently large for a town many times larger than Red Deer yet he was not convinced. He also explained as to the sewerage the town had given to the Board of Trade, but it was afterwards pointed out that a grant of \$250 had been made by the town towards the cost of the Board's pamphlet.

Minor questions were asked by Mr. Waller and Mr. Piper and satisfactorily replied to.

Dr. Gaetz in a characteristic speech said he was anxious to see such a large sample of grain, that was sent on exhibition from Red Deer by the Board of Trade to Halifax Fair, it was a poor middle sample, and when he saw it he was ashamed for anyone there to know he came from Red Deer. Mr. Cowell explained that an excellent sample had been sent to Calgary for exhibit and from there sent to Halifax and the fault did not lie at this end. There was no other business of importance and this concluded the meeting.

Slade and Brown have secured the attendance of the band at the rink Tuesday and Thursday nights throughout the season.

Municipal Nominations.

There was no excitement at the town clerk's office during nominations on Monday morning. The following are the results:

FOR MAYOR

H. H. Gaetz - Acclamation

FOR COUNCILLORS

Moved Seconded
R. A. Jacobson, Ellis Wilkins, Stephenson, Brumpton, Pidgeon, E. H. Tallman, W. C. Gaspick, Caracullen, R. L. Gaetz, Botterill, McKee, Bawtinheimer, H. H. Gaetz.
SCHOOL TRUSTEES
Hincheff, Stephenson, Pidgeon, Payne, Quimette, T. A. Gaetz, Grieve, Murphy, R. L. Gaetz.
Canon Hincheff withdrew and Messrs. Payne and Grieve were elected by acclamation.

The Bazaar.

The Annual Bazaar of the Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's church on Wednesday evening of last week was a grand success. The bazaar was held in the Oddfellows' Hall, and a most excellent supper was served during the evening. The fancy work displayed and sold during the evening surpassed all former efforts of the Guild. Mr. Fred Hart in his very able and humorous manner auctioned off the goods at high figures. After the sale dancing was enjoyed by the young people. Mrs. Wright and Mr. McLean furnishing the music during the evening.

Two beautiful cushions were raffled for during the evening. Mrs. Cassie and Miss Good capturing the prizes. Those taking charge of the various departments were as follows:

Supper waitresses - Mesdames Cassie, Stone, Stent, Pidgeon, Alford, McMillan, Edgington, Wilson, Heare, Red and Misses Botterill, Harkness, Gedge, Rich, Tea and coffee maker - Mrs. B. P. Alford. Junior League Stall - Misses Blanchett, Stent, Pidgeon, Posill, Fancy Stall - Mrs. Waller, Mrs. St. Clair, Mrs. Harkness, Plain Work Stall - Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Drake, Candy Stall - Mrs. Fortis, Mrs. Helliwell, Ice cream stall - Misses Story and Godley.

The Ladies' Guild wishes to thank the willing young men who also gave a great assistance in the work of the Bazaar. Total receipts amounted to \$290.

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150 CURTAIN POLES
and Trimmings complete
4 ft. long by 1 1/2 inches.

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THE STORE FOR VALUE.

A. B. PURDY, FURNITURE STORE.

MASSEY HARRIS CO., LTD. SAWYER & MASSEY CO.

SLEIGHS.

We are selling this year as usual the old reliable, and ever famous Bain sleighs, now to the old residents of this district we need not say anything about these goods for you know them of old, but to the new comers who have never bought sleighs in this country, we would just say two things, first make enquiries of the men who have used sleighs in this district, and second, come in and see the Bain before you buy elsewhere.

We are carrying a large stock this winter in all sizes and styles. We have the east shoeing, the spring steel shoeing, and we are the only people selling the soft centre steel shoe.

FANNING MILLS.

Now is the time to buy fanning mills. An investment in a fanning mill is one of the best a farmer can make and we can give you terms on the Chatham Mill, whereby it will pay for itself.

Farmers - Watch this ad' from week to week.

WILSON & McCUTCHEON.

MANSON CAMPBELL CO. WM. GRAY & SONS.

THE LEADER IN ITS LINE.

The "International" Hay Press, sizes 14 x 18 to 17 x 22. Those at work in this district are giving ideal satisfaction. Call and inspect sample.

Gasoline Engines, from 2 h.p. to 35 h.p. traction. Just the thing you want to out your wood, pump your water, crush your grain; in fact, a farm is incomplete without one.

To go with this, we have the celebrated "Maple Leaf" Grinders, sizes 8, 10 and 12-inch; the "Bell" Strawcutters and the "Gearless" Fanning Mills. By the way, we have only two of the latter left.

If you don't wish gasoline for power, we are prepared to supply you with one of the best Windmills manufactured to-day. We have high testimonials from the four purchasers who are using our Windmills in this district.

For Steam power, we can supply you with the Watrous Steam Engines, also the Watrous Sawmill machinery.

These are a few of the lines we carry for the winter season.

A FRIENDLY TIP.

Do not place your order for your Seed Drill until you see our sample. We have something entirely new in the International drill. It will pay you to wait. We also have one or two improvements in our Cookshut Drills, but they are so near perfect that it is hard to improve on them.

CUTTERS AND SLEIGHS.

We have only four cutters left out of our carload so you had better hurry. Of sleighs we have a fairly large range yet, but we venture to say that before this month closes there will not be an Adams sleigh to be had in Alberta, the famine is now on in this particular make.

The highest price paid for oats or barley either on accounts or on exchange for new goods.

Latimer & Botterill,

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PATERSON & Co.

Beg to announce that they have now opened their new store on Gaetz Ave., next to English Church, with a full and fresh stock of best Groceries.

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If you want to buy a Christmas present for a young Lady, or an old Lady, a young Man, or an old Man, or for Children any age, you will find our store the ideal spot to make your purchases.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs in Fancy Boxes	-	50c. to \$1.25
Ladies' & Children's Silk Handkerchiefs	-	10c. to 1.25
" " Fancy Lawn Handkerchiefs	-	12 1/2c. to 50c.
Ladies' Fancy Collars	-	25c. to 1.25
" Silk Waist Lengths, special value	-	2.50 each
" White Linen Waist Lengths, silk embroidery	-	3.50
" Kid Gloves, Fawne's make	-	1.25 pair
" Fancy Slippers	-	1.25 to 2.50
" Fur Coats, Stoles, Muffs, Capelines, &c., at exceptionally close prices.	-	
Men's Neckties, the very latest shapes and shades. All prices.	-	
" Scarfs	Men's Fur Collars	Fur Caps
" Suits	Men's Handkerchiefs in Fancy Boxes	Fur Overcoats
" Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs	Men's Fancy Slippers	Men's Cut Links
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is the talk of the town. We'll be pleased to show you our stock consisting of Mechanical Toys, all kinds of Dolls, etc.

We have a full range of Fancy Japanese, Austrian and English

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Choice Stock of Christmas Groceries.

HILL & HORN,
GENERAL MERCHANTS
AGENTS FOR HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.

RED DEER.

Smillie's Store News.

READY FOR CHRISTMAS TRADE

Don't forget it comes on the 25th of this month.

Don't come to Trade on the 24th, and expect to get as good a selection as if you came two weeks earlier.

See our last week's advertisements in The News and Advocate for particulars of what we are showing.

The Right Goods at the Right Prices.

We cannot afford to sell as cheap as we do and give any credit, so do not ask for it. TERMS, CASH ONLY.

Pretty Calendars FREE! but they will not be given to children without an order from their parents.

W. H. SMILLIE & CO. - RED DEER.

What We Claim for Ferrol

FERROL is an Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, and if it were nothing more it would take front rank because of the quality and quantity of the oil used and the scientific method of preparation. But FERROL has special claims which take it out of the ordinary class of Emulsion altogether. For instance:

FERROL combines Iron and Phosphorus with the oil, and no other emulsion contains these ingredients, although it is well known that they should always be administered together, as each is the complement of the other.

FERROL is so scientifically prepared that the first processes of digestion are actually performed in the process of manufacture, and the emulsion is ready for instant absorption into the blood. This is of the utmost importance to persons with delicate stomachs.

FERROL

unlike other emulsions, is positively palatable, and not one in a thousand finds any difficulty in taking it. FERROL contains the three essentials of life, viz.: Fat, Iron, and Phosphorus—they have never been combined before.

FERROL holds the record for increasing the weight. FERROL has received more endorsements from medical men than any other preparation on the market.

FERROL will cure any case of Consumption that is capable of cure.

FERROL is an absolute specific for Colds, Croup, Bronchitis and all kindred troubles.

FERROL is an unfailing remedy for nervous prostration, Chronic Rheumatism and Neuralgia.

Finally, the formula is freely published, and in taking FERROL you "know what you take."

FOR SALE AT
BROWN'S RED CROSS PHARMACY,
RED DEER.

Library Voting Contest.

100 Volumes and Case.

Now on exhibition in Galt's drug store window. This elegant library and handsome case will be given by vote to the church, school, lodge or other society securing the largest number of votes in the following manner: The merchants listed below will give with each 10 cents cash purchase one vote. The contest begins on Nov. 25th, 1911, and closes April 2nd, 1912. The ballot is placed in Galt's drug store, where votes are to be deposited. At the close of the contest the church, school or society, having the largest number of votes will be awarded the library. Current accounts where promptly paid will be entitled to votes. Remittance votes can only be secured by trading with the merchants listed below. Each week the News will announce the respective standing of the contest.

Every new subscriber to the News will receive 100 ballot tickets in return for as many votes for their favorite church, school or society. Elsewhere in this issue will be found a coupon, which if cut out of the News will count ten votes.

BEST BROS. Furniture	R. A. JACOBSON Jeweller
LORD General Merchant	P. M. PANRUCKER Butchers Phone No 4
H. H. GAETZ Drugs	J. E. BOWER Building Contractor Phone 21
PIDGION & WALLACE Clothing	WELLIVER & DRAKE Real Estate
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found a warm place in the hearts of the people here and all will be looking forward to their safe return in the spring. Miss Morrison contributed greatly to the pleasure of the evening by giving several readings.

At last we have a bridge across the river, but we don't think either of the two members for it. Sister towns don't be jealous if we take a few of our patrons, it will be a few of the winter. There haven't a permanent bridge in then we might do something. Re the two members and the bridge, Penhold appears to be in the position of "between the devil and the deep sea." Let us hope that it will figure in next year's estimates.

Miss Eva Stewart, who has been spending a holiday at home left for Winnipeg last week.

It is saying a good deal for the healthiness of the district when there's nothing for a doctor to do. Dr. Mayhood left on Saturday. We are sorry to lose the Dr., really someone ought to be in all this time, but we can't help feeling glad that this is not the case.

We hear lots of complaints about the C. P. R. level crossings the plants having all been taken away from between the rails makes it dangerous to the public. Two sleighs were broken last week in crossing. We understand the Local Improvement Council are taking up the matter.

Stewart Bros. sold five set of sleighs in one day last week.

Evarts.

Since the last fall of snow, sleighing is now in good order.

Miss E. Card of Red Deer is a guest at the Parker House Hotel.

Skating on the Medicine River is the order of the day.

Our new blacksmith, E. Good, who recently established a business here is giving great satisfaction to the public.

There will be a new Church built here early next spring, and the subscription list shows that it has met with the favorable approval of all.

Rev. York conducted Church of England service here last Sunday morning.

Messrs Tom Martin, Earl Wilson and Peter Delonca, were visitors in the vicinity this week.

Messrs. Chilson, Sande, Isaacson and Bolton left here this week for the lumber camps west of Olds for the winter.

At a recent meeting of the electors of the school district, O. M. Forhan was elected to fill the office of Trustee, caused by the resignation of W. W. Howe.

Threshing is now pretty well at an end in our neighborhood and the yield this season was good. On an average nearly seven 50 to 100 bushels per acre, wheat and barley also yielded well. We sincerely hope that we shall have a railway in the near future is the wish of all the farmers.

A young lady in the neighborhood went into one of our stores the other day and blushing asked the clerk if he "had any of those elastic bands, capable of being elongated and adjusted at pleasure, and used by the feminine portion of mankind for putting around the lower extremities of the locomotive members of the locomotive members of the council's business. I have not the time nor the desire for a personal canvass, but I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my election as Councillor.

The best man we have in our village is the one you will always see on the front seat in the Progressive "band wagon." He is the first one to extend an open and warm hand to greet the stranger and welcome him to the best village in the district. He will extend an open hand to every village as quickly as he would a slur at a member of his family. He very politely invites the chronic croaker to "move on." He is ever ready to give his just proportion to every public enterprise.

He talks up our village at home and abroad, and believes it is the best place on God's green earth in which to live, and desires to be buried here when he dies. He will all pray to be like this man for one year, and our village will take on a new life and improve never before in its history.

Lacombe.

On Tuesday night at about 8 o'clock H. A. Murphy was waylaid in front of the Conrad hotel as Gladys Street as was brutally assaulted. He states that he was out on a warning a man sprung upon him, striking him on a terrific blow on the head, knocking him down and then continued to strike and kick him. Mr. Murphy's head and face were so badly bruised that he has since been under the doctor's care. He swore out information against his assailant, Charles Smith, who was sent up for trial. The trouble is said to have been caused by Murphy's removing freight, for which Smith was responsible to the C.P.R.

Another big deal in Lacombe property was put through last week, the Royal Hotel having changed hands. Louie and Ole Boode, who built the hotel and have run it since its opening, have sold to Andrew Boode and John R. Johnson. Andrew Boode is well known here and Mr. Johnson is an old-timer in this district, though he has been away for a few years. Lundy put the deal through the price being \$18,000.

Didsbury.

Mr. G. B. Sexsmith was the recipient of a splendid gold watch last week, a gift from the Assiniboia Club, for making the best collections of any of their agents in Alberta for the month of October.

A deal was completed last week whereby the Alexandra Hotel, which has been run for some years by Mr. L. P. Clement, was sold to Melville Bros. of Calgary, who take possession on the first of December.

Another deal was completed on Thursday, whereby the Golden West Hotel, which has been run by Mr. D. C. Corbett, was transferred to Messrs. Ed. Spahr and Geo. Scott, formerly of the Alexandra Hotel.—Pioneer.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF RED DEER.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large and influential number of the ratepayers of the town of Red Deer to allow my name to be placed in nomination for the position of councillor for the ensuing year and having consented, I respectfully request your vote and influence.

Your Obedient Servant,
F. H. TALLMAN.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the council for the ensuing year and very respectfully request your vote and influence.

Faithfully Yours
S. N. CARSCALLEN

Your Vote and Influence.

RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR
A. T. STEPHENSON
as Councillor for the ensuing year.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF RED DEER.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a number of the leading ratepayers of the town of Red Deer to allow my name to be placed in nomination for the position of councillor for the ensuing year and having consented, I respectfully request your vote and influence, promising, if elected, to use my best efforts on behalf of the town.

Your Obedient Servant,
R. A. JACOBSON.

To the Electors of the Town of Red Deer.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I have been requested by a considerable number of ratepayers to stand for the Council this year, and I have consented to do so, and, if elected, will give my best endeavors to promote the council's business. I have not the time nor the desire for a personal canvass, but I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my election as Councillor.

S. E. MCKEE.

To the Ratepayers, Town of Red Deer.

Having decided to present myself as a candidate for the office of Mayor at the forthcoming Municipal Elections I take this opportunity of announcing the fact. Should I be elected to this honorable position, I shall consider it my duty to give the personal attention to every detail of the Administration which I believe to be the duty of its chief officer, and to be necessary from the standpoint of efficiency and economy.

I shall favor a policy of progression without extravagance of economy without parsimony. It will be my endeavor to safeguard every interest of the town and to do justice to every individual, showing neither favor nor malice.

I believe it possible to modify our methods of assessment and taxation that the burden will be more equitably distributed, and to extend our public improvements and utilities without materially raising the general rate. My aim will be, in so far as I am able, to maintain and improve the position of Red Deer as the healthiest, cleanest, most orderly and most progressive town in Central Alberta, and make it altogether a good place to live in. If you think that my influence in these directions will count I shall appreciate your support.

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Red Deer Iron Works, Morrison Street.

J. W. BROUGHTON,
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Shut turning, Wheeling and Pipes screw cut to any size and number of threads by machinery.
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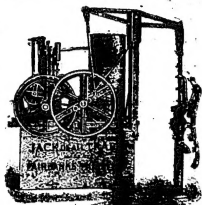
As the winter season is drawing nigh, many farmers dread having to pump water to their cattle during the long winter months. Just call on Springbett & Bohey and get a Windmill or Gasoline Engine.

They have a full line, also Wood Saws and Grain Crushers, the Ontario Wind Engine and Pump Co.'s Goods. They will be pleased to have you call and inspect whether you buy or not. Blacksmithing in connection. Prices right and quality guaranteed.

SPRINGBETT & BOWHEY.

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All kinds of work in metal
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For the treatment of the only institution in the town which can guarantee a cure every time for any complaint for which it is equipped.

Special Wards for Electric and Glass
Tincture of Canine wheel and applications for knives and razors.
Pocket Knives 5 cents per blade.
Table knives 5 cents each.
Carvees 15 cents each.
Scissors 10 cents each.
Filed lotion (outward application) for Sore Throat.

Buck and Hand Saws, 25 cents.
Cross-cut, 35 cents.

Fred. Hart.

House Surgeon, Repair Shop.
Note Change of Address from Galtz Ave. East end of Alexander Ave. where the Red Deer Hospital is located.

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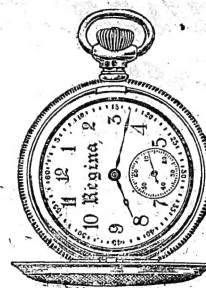
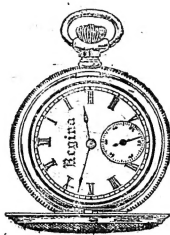
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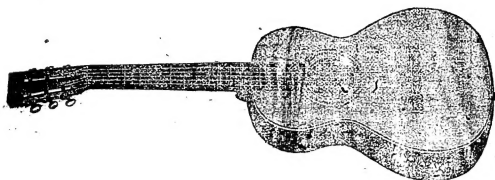
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H. H. GAETZ, RED DEER.



XMAS OPENING AT JACOBSON'S.



For the past eleven months, we have met with grand success in our business all through the west, and this month, being the last of the year, we intend crowning it as the King of all.



We have to offer you this season the largest assorted stock of Diamonds, Watches, Jewellery, Silverware, Clocks, Leather Goods, Optical Goods, Fancy Cases filled with sterling Silver, Cabinets of silver, Dressing Cases in sterling and ebony, Musical Goods, etc., that is to be found in Alberta, and at prices all through that none can compete with.



WALTHAM WATCHES, 7-Jewel, in nickel cases at	\$4.00.
7-JEWEL WALTHAM, in 20 gold-filled cases at	7.00
25-YEAR 14K gold-filled 6 size for Ladies, with 7-Jewel Mount	10.00
8-Day Wood Mantle Clocks, half-hour Strike, oak	3.00
Nickel Alarm Clocks, American; from	90c. to \$1.60

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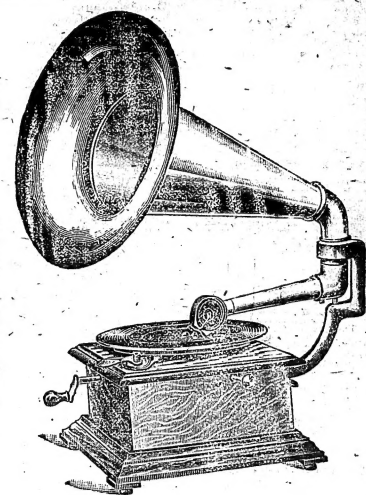
and avoid the Rush, as this is going to be the greatest Xmas Sale ever put on in Alberta. \$25,000 worth of the finest goods that money can buy, and of the very latest ideas, and at prices never before thought of

Have you thought of something to entertain you these long, wintry evenings? Let me suggest

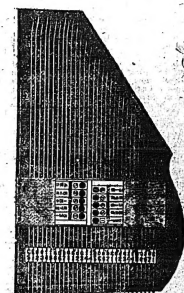
THE KING-O-PHONE.

It is the only natural toned instrument on the market to-day, and the best at any price. For the next three weeks, we will offer you the King-O-Phone at **\$20.00.**

Call and hear this Instrument; it will please you and make you feel that you ought to have one of them in your home for your wife and little ones. Remember, they may feel lonely at times; and it is your duty to try and have them cheerful.



We will give a sterling Silver Thimble to every Lady buying One Dollar's worth of goods, or over. This Thimble cannot be bought in the regular way less than 75c.; but it is our little gift to all. See that you get one.



Call and see us. We will bid you welcome and be pleased to show you through the stock.

R. A. JACOBSON - - Red Deer.